



**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a)**  
**(Large Entity)**

Docket No.  
IVT.0042US

In Re Application Of: Stephen Ing; Christopher Lord

Application No.	Filing Date	Examiner	Customer No.	Group Art Unit	Confirmation No.
10/621,102	July 17, 2003	Tung T. Vo	21906	2621	8437

Invention: A Method And Apparatus For Bit Rate Control In A Digital Video Environment For Arbitrary Bandwidth

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:

This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a response to the Office Action of June 26, 2006 in the above-identified application.  
*Date*

The requested extension is as follows (check time period desired):

☐ One month    ☐ Two months    ☒ Three months    ☐ Four months    ☐ Five months

from: September 26, 2006    until: December 26, 2006  
*Date*    *Date*

The fee for the extension of time is **\$1,020** and is to be paid as follows:

- ☒ A check in the amount of the fee is enclosed.  
☒ The Director is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. **20-1504**  
☒ If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefor and charge any additional fees which may be required to Deposit Account No. **20-1504**  
☐ Payment by credit card. Form PTO-2038 is attached.

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*Signature*

Dated: December 14, 2006

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